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In re application of: Hockersmith

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Title: A METHOD OF PRODUCING A GLYCEMIC PROFILE OF

PREDETERMINED SHAPE IN A TEST SUBJECT

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## **AMENDMENT**

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An amendment is provided in response to the office action dated January 18, 2003 in the above-named application. A two-month extension of time is filed herewith.

## In the Claims:

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1. method as in Claim 35. further comprising the step estimating said required amount of carbohydrate according to a formula, said formula comprising:

$$CHO = \frac{TARGET - STARTING}{X}$$

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where CHO represents said required amount of carbohydrate, TARGET represents said target maximum, STARTING represents a starting blood glucose concentration, and X comprises an assigned value representing an estimate of said subject's sensitivity to carbohydrate, said assigned value based on type of diabetes and/or level of diabetes control.